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APOLLO DISTRICT INTERPRETIVE PROGRAMS JULY 2006

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5TH**-10:00 AM-"LET'S TALK TRASH"** Learn about all the trash that sea turtles put up with in our oceans; then we will go out on the beach and pick up trash to aid turtle hatchlings as they make for the ocean. Bring sunscreen and water. Meet at the Visitor Information Center. (1 hour)

THURSDAY, JULY 6TH AND JULY 20ST-1:00 PM-"FISH MOSQUITO LAGOON" Learn tips and tricks for fishing the waters of Mosquito Lagoon. Bring your own tackle if you can, we have some supplies. Bring water and sunscreen. Meet at the Visitor Information Center. (2 hours)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12 TH-10:00 **AM-"SEA TURTLE ART"** Join a ranger as we talk about fun sea turtle facts; then create your own sea turtle and help teach others about these wonderful creatures. Dress to get messy. All supplies provided. Meet at the Visitor Information Center. (1 hour)

MONDAY, JULY 10, 17TH AND JULY 24th -10:00 AM -"BODY BOARD WITH A RANGER" Join a National Park Service Lifeguard and learn beach safety and body board techniques. We have some boards; bring your own if you have one. Remember to bring sunscreen and water. Meet at Parking Area #1B. (1 hour)

TUESDAY, JULY 18TH-2:00 PM-"ENDANGERED SPECIES ART" Learn about the endangered and threatened species that call Canaveral National Seashore home; then

create warning signs to let people know how special and rare those creatures are. Dress to get messy. All supplies provided. Meet at the Visitor Information Center. (1 hour)

THURSDAY, JULY 13TH AND JULY 27TH-1:00 PM- "HOOK, LINE AND SINKER" Bait, rigs and tackle tips will be discussed for surf fishing on Apollo Beach, along with the rules and regulations for keeping what you catch. Bring water and sunscreen. We have a few rods; feel free to bring your own. Meet at the Visitor Information Center. (2 hour)

TUESDAY, JULY 25TH-10:00 AM- "BEACH DISCOVERY" Join a guide as we hunt for natural treasures. We'll walk the beach for fun and exercise; then discuss the importance of Apollo Beach. Bring sunscreen, hats and water. Meet at the Visitor Information Center. (1 hour)